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R 090940Z JUN 77
FM AMEMBASSY PRETORIA
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 7759
AMEMBASSY CANBERRA
INFO AMCONSUL CAPE TOWN

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CAPE TOWN ALSO FOR EMBASSY

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: EFIS, OCON, SF
SUBJECT: MAJOR ISSUES AT 29TH MEETING, INTERNATIONAL
WHALING COMMISSION.

REF: STATE 127607

1. IN CONTACTS WITH DEPT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS ON SUBJECT
CONFERENCE, EMBASSY ASCERTAINED THAT SOUTH AFRICAN DELEGATES
WILL BE DR. P.B. BEST, DIVISION OF SEA FISHERIES, DEPT OF
INDUSTRIES (LOCATED IN CAPE TOWN) AND D. SMITH, CONSELOR
OF SA EMBASSY IN CANBERRA. DFA OFFICIAL STATED DAWACBMF
PLANNING AND ENVIRONMENT IS NOT DIRECTLY INVOLVED IN
CONFERENCE AND ALL ASPECTS OF CONFERENCE BEING HANDLED BY
DEPT OF INDUSTRIES WITH ASSISTANCE FROM DFA. THERE WAS NO
INCLINATION TO CHANGE THIS PROCEDURE AT THIS LATE DATE.
CONGEN CAPE TOWN CONTACTED DEPT OF INDUSTRIES IN CAPE TOWN
AND WAS ADVISED THAT DR. BEST DEPARTED FOR CANBERRA
JUNE 3 TO TAKE PART IN WORK OF PRECONFERENCE COMMITTEE.
IN DISCUSSION OF US POSITIONS ON CONFERENCE ISSUES (REFTEL),
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INDUSTRIES OFFICIAL STATED THAT DR. BEST WAS MOST APPROPRIATE
POINT OF CONTACT ON THIS SUBJECT AND SUGGESTED US DELEGATION
MAKE DIRECT CONTACT WITH HIM TO DISCUSS US POSITIONS.

2. IN LIGHT OF FOREGOING SUGGEST USDEL TO IWC OR EMBASSY
CANBERRA MEET WITH BEST TO MAKE POINTS CONTAINED IN REFTEL. BOWDLER

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Message Attributes

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